IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR CONTROLLING AND SUPERVISING
ELECTRONIC DEVICES

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please enter the following amended claims:

9.   (Amended)A method according claim 1, wherein said device is a device for receiving, transmitting and processing signals in radio relay systems.

15.   (Amended)A computer software program comprising program code means designed to carry out one or more of the steps of claim 1 when said program is run on a computer.

16.   (Amended)A computer-readable medium having a computer software program recorded thereon, said computer-readable medium comprising program code means designed to carry out one or more of the steps of claim 1 when said program is run on a computer.
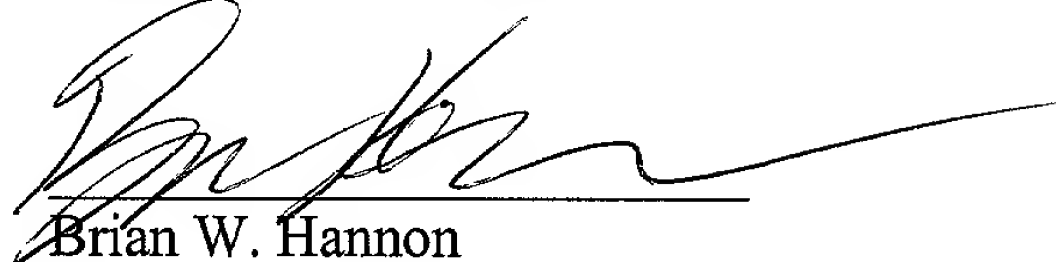
REMARKS

Entry and consideration of this Amendment is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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APPENDIX

VERSION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE

IN THE CLAIMS:

The claims are amended as follows:

9.   (Amended)A method according ~~to any of the preceding claims~~claim 1, wherein said device is a device for receiving, transmitting and processing signals in radio relay systems.

15.   (Amended)A computer software program comprising program code means designed to carry out one or more of the steps of ~~claims 1 to 9~~ claim 1 when said program is run on a computer.

16.   (Amended)A computer-readable medium having a computer software program recorded thereon, said computer-readable medium comprising program code means designed to carry out one or more of the steps of ~~claims 1 to 9~~claim 1 when said program is run on a computer.